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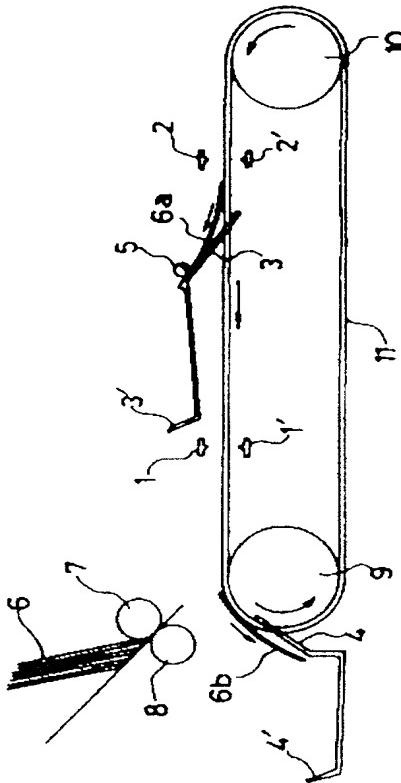
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TITLE : SHEET CONVEYOR



ABSTRACT : PURPOSE: To facilitate the removal of an abnormal sheet in jamming in a sheet conveyor for a copier or the like, by providing an abnormality detector and a scraper on a conveyance passage and driving the scraper in accordance with an abnormality detection signal to reverse the conveyance.

CONSTITUTION: When the time which it takes the original 6a to move from a detector 1, 1' to another one 2, 2' is abnormally long, a conveying drive mechanism for a roller 10 is stopped and a scraper 3 and a scraper tray 3' are moved to intersect a conveyance passage. At the same time, rollers 7, 8 are stopped so that the feed of the following sheet is ceased. The conveying movement of a belt 11 is then reversed. As a result, the abnormal sheet 6a is taken out onto the tray 3' by the scraper 3. The removal of the abnormal sheet in jamming or the like is thus facilitated.

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